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## Innovative Training Program a Winner!

The following is a letter to the Editor of **Highlights** describing the experience of Professor Anne P. Shaw and four graduate library students/documents interns taking part in a GPO "innovative training program." Similar opportunities will be available to small groups of interested documents librarians. Inquiries should be directed to: Mr. John D. Livsey, Director, Library and Statutory Distribution Service, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20401.

Dear Editor,

The past few years have brought many positive changes to the Government Printing Office. Those tales of "you-won't-believe-how-long-I-waited-for-this-document" are fast becoming historic GPO folklore.

A commitment to serve the needs of depository librarians is quite evident. A new approach being tried is to offer depository librarians an opportunity to see GPO in action and learn of its methods as well as its philosophy at the scene of the action.

From June 8th through June 10th, 1977, I took four graduate library school students, who had both taken the documents course and interned in my office, to Washington, D.C., for an intense three days of information sharing with GPO. The Library and Statutory Distribution Service rose

to the occasion with an exceedingly well organized program and dedication to making the concept work.

The presentations covered all aspects of the depository library system. Initially, we were introduced to the Library Division of GPO: budget, statistics, objectives, services. A tour of the distribution system was later followed by a slide presentation of the processes and procedures for handling claims, as well as the preparation of shipping lists. Lectures were given on the SuDocs classification, Congressional documentation, **Monthly Catalog**, micrographics, computer operations, inspections, records, and sales. All proved excellent! We had opportunities to use the OCLC terminals, experience classifying new documents, use new microfiche readers, and the list goes on!

Many facts were presented and concepts discussed during this three day flood of information. The sharing of new projects under consideration, along with the current operations, certainly develops a bond between the GPO and depository librarians which can only facilitate the flow of information to users.

It was an invaluable experience for all of us. The knowledge, warmth, and courtesy displayed will be long remembered.

Sincerely,

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**Wins Special Award.** Bernadine A. Hoduski, Special Library Assistant with the Joint Committee on Printing for the U.S. Congress and the founder of the Government Documents Round Table (GODORT) has recently won the James Bennett Childs Award for "distinguished contributions to documents librarianship." A friend to documents librarians everywhere, she has helped the Depository Library Program secure copies of innumerable publications for distribution, as well as been an excellent communications link between the Joint Committee and GPO.

## Error Detected

A bright bouquet of Johnny-Jump-Ups goes to Government Documents Librarian Josephine Williams of East Texas State University. Her keen eyes noted that the **SEC Docket (weekly)** listed on page 2 of the June 1977 **Highlights** was assigned the wrong item and class numbers. It should be: Item 908-C-SE 1.29:—.

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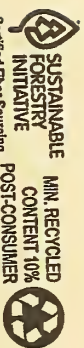
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